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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: :
LAURA LYNN HEILMAN : CONFIRMATION NO: 9815

SERIAL NO.: 10/697,685 : GROUP ART UNIT: 3749
FILED: October 29, 2003 : EXAMINER: STEPHEN M. GRAVINI

FOR: FABRIC ARTICLE TREATING
DEVICE COMPRISING MORE THAN ONE
HOUSING :

P&G CASE: 9398 :

**PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME, REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION, AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 19, 2005**

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") responsive to the July 19, 2005 final Office Action for the above-referenced patent application. Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to respond to this action. This response is being timely filed on November 21, 2005 within the one-month extension period as November 19, 2005 fell on a Saturday. Authorization is provided to charge any fees due hereunder to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. As a matter of review, the instant application is comprised of Claims 1 - 23. Claims 10 and 22 are cancelled herewith without prejudice.

*Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.
Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.*